

June 13, 1956, ch. 380, title I, 70 Stat. 261.  
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 July 31, 1953, ch. 298, title I, 67 Stat. 269.  
 July 9, 1952, ch. 597, title I, 66 Stat. 454.  
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 Sept. 6, 1950, ch. 896, Ch. VII, title I, 64 Stat. 690.

#### **§ 50-1. Funds for mappings and investigations considered intragovernmental funds**

Beginning October 1, 1990, and thereafter, funds received from any State, territory, possession, country, international organization, or political subdivision thereof, for topographic, geologic, or water resources mapping or investigations involving cooperation with such an entity shall be considered as intragovernmental funds as defined in the publication titled "A Glossary of Terms Used in the Federal Budget Process".

(Pub. L. 101-512, title I, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1924.)

#### **§ 50a. Working capital fund for United States Geological Survey**

There is hereby established in the Treasury of the United States a working capital fund to assist in the management of certain support activities of the United States Geological Survey (hereafter referred to as the "Survey"), Department of the Interior. The fund shall be available on and after November 5, 1990, without fiscal year limitation for expenses necessary for furnishing materials, supplies, equipment, work, facilities, and services in support of Survey programs, and, as authorized by law, to agencies of the Federal Government and others. Such expenses may include laboratory modernization and equipment replacement, computer operations, maintenance, and telecommunications services; requirements definition, systems analysis, and design services; acquisition or development of software; systems support services such as implementation assistance, training, and maintenance; acquisition and replacement of computer, publications, scientific instrumentation, telecommunications, and related automatic data processing equipment; and, such other activities as may be approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

There are authorized to be transferred to the fund, at fair and reasonable values at the time of transfer, inventories, equipment, receivables, and other assets, less liabilities, related to the functions to be financed by the fund as determined by the Secretary of the Interior: *Provided*, That the fund shall be credited with appropriations and other funds of the Survey, and other agencies of the Department of the Interior, other Federal agencies, and other sources, for providing materials, supplies, equipment, work, and services as authorized by law and such payments may be made in advance or upon performance: *Provided further*, That charges to users will be at rates approximately equal to the costs of furnishing the materials, supplies, equipment, facilities, and services, including such items as depreciation of equipment and facilities, and accrued annual leave: *Provided further*, That all existing balances as of November 5, 1990, from amortization fees resulting from the Survey providing telecommunications services and deposited

in a special fund established on the books of the Treasury and available for payment of replacement or expansion of telecommunications services as authorized by Public Law 99-190, are hereby transferred to and merged with the working capital fund, to be used for the same purposes as originally authorized: *Provided further*, That funds that are not necessary to carry out the activities to be financed by the fund, as determined by the Secretary, shall be covered into miscellaneous receipts of the Treasury.

(Pub. L. 101-512, title I, Nov. 5, 1990, 104 Stat. 1924; Pub. L. 102-154, title I, Nov. 13, 1991, 105 Stat. 1000; Pub. L. 103-332, title I, Sept. 30, 1994, 108 Stat. 2507.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

Provisions relating to the special fund authorized by Public Law 99-190, referred to in text, were formerly classified to this section. See Prior Provisions note below.

#### PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 50a, Pub. L. 99-190, § 101(d) [title I], Dec. 19, 1985, 99 Stat. 1224, 1231, related to deposit of amortization fees from Geological Survey providing telecommunications services.

#### AMENDMENTS

1994—Pub. L. 103-332 in first par., in second sentence after "work," inserted "facilities," in third sentence after "include" inserted "laboratory modernization and equipment replacement," after "operations" inserted "maintenance," and after "replacement of computer," inserted "publications, scientific instrumentation," and in second par., in second proviso after "depreciation of equipment" inserted "and facilities,".

#### CHANGE OF NAME

"United States Geological Survey" substituted for "Geological Survey" in first paragraph pursuant to provision of title I of Pub. L. 102-154, set out as a note under section 31 of this title.

#### **§ 50b. Recording of obligations against accounts receivable and crediting of amounts received; work involving cooperation with State, Territory, etc.**

Before, on, and after October 18, 1986, in carrying out work involving cooperation with any State, Territory, possession, or political subdivision thereof, the United States Geological Survey may, notwithstanding any other provision of law, record obligations against accounts receivable from any such entities and shall credit amounts received from such entities to this appropriation.

(Pub. L. 99-500, § 101(h) [title I], Oct. 18, 1986, 100 Stat. 1783-242, 1783-252, and Pub. L. 99-591, § 101(h) [title I], Oct. 30, 1986, 100 Stat. 3341-242, 3341-252; Pub. L. 102-154, title I, Nov. 13, 1991, 105 Stat. 1000.)

#### REFERENCES IN TEXT

This appropriation, referred to in text, probably means appropriations under the headings "GEOLOGICAL SURVEY" and "SURVEYS, INVESTIGATIONS, AND RESEARCH" of the annual Department of the Interior and Related Agencies Appropriations Act.

#### CODIFICATION

Pub. L. 99-591 is a corrected version of Pub. L. 99-500. In text, "Before, on, and after October 18, 1986" substituted for "heretofore and hereafter".